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Title: TREATMENT OF LUNG CELLS WITH HISTONE DEACETYLASE INHIBITORS

Enclosed are the following papers, including those required to receive a filing date under 37 CFR §1.53(b):

	<u>Pages</u>
Cover + Specification	21
Claims	5
Abstract	1
Declaration	[To be Filed at a Later Date]

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Under 35 USC §120, this application, which claims priority from U.S. provisional application Ser. No. 60/427,567, filed November 20, 2002, is a continuation-in-part of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/025,947, filed December 26, 2001, which is a continuation of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/812,940, filed March 27, 2001, abandoned; U.S. patent application Ser. No. 10/307,321, filed December 2, 2002, which is a divisional of U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/812,944, filed March 27, 2001, issued as U.S. Patent No. 6,495,719; and U.S. patent application Ser. No. 09/812,945, filed March 27, 2001; all of which applications are incorporated herein by reference.

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